

New Jersey PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Summer

Arts Camp

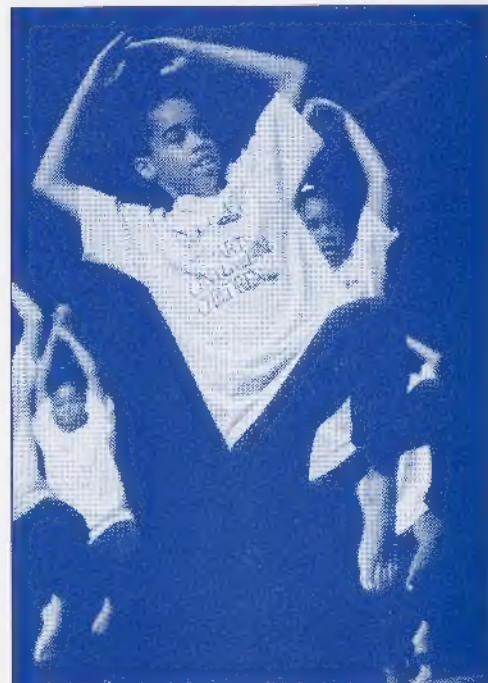


History is unfolding as the **New Jersey Performing Arts Center** takes shape. The Center, which opens in October 1997, includes Prudential Hall (2,750 seats), Victoria Theater (500 seats), restaurants, banquet facilities, a gift shop and an outdoor Theater Square. Located on the Newark Riverfront near Gateway Center, Penn Station and the Ironbound District, NJPAC is New Jersey's home-grown success story. World-class performers from every continent will appear on the NJPAC stages.

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Children will delight in the New Jersey Performing Arts Center's four-week **Summer Arts Camp** focusing on a full range of artistic expression.



Students are offered a unique experience to learn from some of the area's most notable theater, music and dance artists. These professionals exemplify consummate artistry, magnetism and appeal, as well as expertise in communicating to young people the freedom and joy of artistic expression.

Now entering its second year, the Summer Arts Camp is designed for students entering third, fourth, and fifth grades. This year's curriculum is tailored to offer a choice of studies in one major and two minor arts disciplines. Housed in a secure and safe environment, the Summer Arts Camp features small group training by professional artists and teachers. In the morning, children receive instruction in a major selected from **ballet, tap, modern dance, music or theater**. Afternoon sessions focus on two minors selected from **vocal music, instrumental music (Orff method), theater, modern dance and African dance**. The entire program is designed to broaden awareness and appreciation of multiple art forms, and promote self-expression and creativity through the arts.

Because NJPAC has placed children at the heart of its mission, the Arts Education Department is dedicated to providing New Jersey children, families and educators with opportunities to participate in high-quality performing arts experiences. Expected to reach more than 100,000 children in 100 communities during the 1997-98 school year, NJPAC has already provided more than 13,000 children, families and educators throughout New Jersey with creative programs that nurture exploration and discovery in the production and performance of the arts.

Highlights

- 1 to 5 staff/camper ratio
- Recreational activities
- Field trips
- Visiting artists
- Breakfast and lunch daily
- Final performance (community invited)
- End-of-camp party
- Early morning drop-off
- Convenient for commuting parents

Dates and Location

July 7–August 1, 1997
8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m.
Monday–Friday
Essex County College
Newark, NJ



Summer Arts Camp 1997 Application Form

Camper's Last Name	First Name	M.I.
Street ()	Apt. ()	City
Phone # (Day)	Phone # (Evening)	Zip
Parent/Guardian's Name(s)		
Elementary School	Entering Grade	Male/Female
		Birth Date

Children will be placed in one major and two minor arts discipline tracks on a first-come, first-served basis. Every attempt will be made to place your child in his/her preferred choice. However, there is a maximum limit of 20 students per track. Space is limited so that quality attention may be given to each individual student. Please mark a "1", "2" or "3" in the appropriate boxes below to indicate your top three choices in each category (1 being your first choice, 2—second choice, 3—third choice).

Major Disciplines:

- ☐ Music
☐ Theater
☐ Tap dance
☐ Modern dance
☐ Ballet

Minor Disciplines:

- ☐ Vocal music
☐ Theater
☐ Music (Orff method)
☐ Modern dance
☐ African dance & drums

Shoe size (for students interested in Tap only)

The cost of the Summer Arts Camp is \$475. A deposit of \$50 is due with the application to hold your child's place in the camp. The remaining \$425 is payable by June 14, 1997. Please indicate your payment plan below. **Please make checks payable to: New Jersey Performing Arts Center.**

- ☐ A check for \$475 is enclosed to cover the entire cost of the camp.
☐ A deposit of \$50 is enclosed. The balance of \$425 must be paid in full by June 14, 1997.
(All payments are non-refundable)

IMPORTANT: Applications are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Applications are due by May 23, 1997.

Please send this form and your check to:
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